

### **Group #1: Water Resource Issues**

Members: Judy Dunscomb, Eldon James, Bob Burnley, Terry Reid, Patti Jackson, Ward Staubitz, Mike Thacker, Shelton Miles, Jesse Richardson, Jerry Higgins

1. Need for a set of principles to use in planning for and siting new water supplies
2. Need to evaluate alternative sources to meet needs with least impact
3. Need to address the concept of inter-basin transfers
4. Need to identify appropriate in-stream flows
5. Need to minimize any impact on the existing groundwater
6. Need to address identification, protection, conservation and development of future resources
7. Need to identify future threats to water resources and supplies
8. Need to protect water sources

**Please use the following questions as a guide in considering each of these issues and developing recommendations for the full TAC to consider.**

Is this issue important to the planning process?

What elements of this issue need to be considered in planning?

What are the benefits to the citizens of Virginia of including this issue in planning?

What are the risks to the citizens of Virginia of not including this issue in planning?

Is there a discrete, specific policy decision that needs to be made before this issue can be considered in planning?

Who will make that decision?

## **Group # 2: Water Use Issues**

Members: Sam Hamilton, Art Petrini, Guy Aydlett, Mike West, Bob Taylor, Cathy Taylor, Brian Ramaley, Ed Imhoff, Jeffery Irving

9. Need to address gaps in our understanding of the nature of all water use in the state, not just drinking water
10. Need to address what methodology and what planning timeframe should be used for demand projections
11. Need to identify a means to provide for in-stream and off-stream uses
12. Need to ensure water efficient use of water resources and implementation of conservation measures, including demand management and water re-use for non-potable purposes
13. Need for water suppliers and users to plan for drought
14. Need to protect water use by existing water users

**Please use the following questions as a guide in considering each of these issues and developing recommendations for the full TAC to consider.**

Is this issue important to the planning process?

What elements of this issue need to be considered in planning?

What are the benefits to the citizens of Virginia of including this issue in planning?

What are the risks to the citizens of Virginia of not including this issue in planning?

Is there a discrete, specific policy decision that needs to be made before this issue can be considered in planning?

Who will make that decision?

### **Group #3: Governance Issues**

Members: Josh Rubinstein, Robert Royall, Dave Paylor, Tom Botkins, Dan Kavanagh, Bill Cox, Charlie Crowder, Frank Sanders, Chris Miller, Wilmer Stoneman, Robert Conner

15. Need to address the concept of inter-basin transfers
16. Need to determine what tools will promote regionalization of supplies
17. Need to obtain data regarding the relative costs of differing water treatment approaches
18. Need to establish a mechanism to recognize implementation of these tasks
19. Need to understand and promote the multiple benefits of water development projects
20. Need to protect water use by existing water users
21. Need to improve our definition of safe yield
22. Need to define the appropriate planning (unit) area of analysis for this work

**Please use the following questions as a guide in considering each of these issues and developing recommendations for the full TAC to consider.**

Is this issue important to the planning process?

What elements of this issue need to be considered in planning?

What are the benefits to the citizens of Virginia of including this issue in planning?

What are the risks to the citizens of Virginia of not including this issue in planning?

Is there a discrete, specific policy decision that needs to be made before this issue can be considered in planning?

Who will make that decision?